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55. (Previously Presented) The implant of claim 54, wherein the top and bottom surfaces are substantially flat planar surfaces.

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56. (Previously Presented) The implant of claim 54, wherein the top and bottom surfaces are curved surfaces.

57. (Currently Amended) An intervertebral implant comprising at least one piece of allogenic bone provided with a hollow interior space, the implant having top and bottom surfaces configured and adapted in use to face the end plates of adjacent vertebrae, wherein the top and bottom surfaces include a plurality of teeth provided in a plurality of adjacent rows, and wherein at least a portion of the teeth have a pyramidal shape defined by four sides forming an acute angle with respect to the respective top and bottom surfaces of the implant; meeting together to form a tip; wherein the sides opposite each other form an acute angle of between about 45° and about 75° at the tip;

wherein the implant has first and second sides and a gradual decrease in height from the first side to the second side.

58. (Currently Amended) An intervertebral implant comprising at least one piece of allogenic bone provided with a hollow interior space, the implant having top and bottom surfaces configured and adapted in use to face the end plates of adjacent vertebrae, wherein the top and bottom surfaces include a plurality of teeth provided in a plurality of adjacent rows, and wherein at least a portion of the teeth have a pyramidal shape defined by four sides meeting together to form a tip; wherein the sides opposite each other form an acute angle of between about 45° and about 75° at the tip; forming an acute angle with respect to the respective top and bottom surfaces of the implant;

wherein the implant has at least one rounded edge between the top and bottom surfaces to facilitate insertion of the implant.